

## Message Text

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ACTION AF-08

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TO USDOC WASHDC

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 5585

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, ML

SUBJECT: FOREIGN GOVERNMENT TENDER

REF: STATE 008891

1. ON 22 JANUARY EMBOFF CALLED ON MR. KANE, CHIEF ENGINEER RESPONSIBLE FOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS PROJECT, TO REQUEST ADDITIONAL DETAILS ON SUBJECT TENDER. KANE SAID HE WAS STRICTLY PROHIBITED FROM PROVIDING INFO REQUESTED UNLESS COMPLETE DOSSIER IS BOUGHT FOR 50,000 MALI FRANCS (USD 100). THIS DOSSIER IS AVAILABLE AT MALI EMBASSY, WASHDC.

2. KANE TOLD EMBOFF, HOWEVER, THAT GOM STRONGLY DESIRES U.S. PARTICIPATION SINCE MALIAN OFFICIALS BELIEVE U.S. TELEPHONE MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT AND TECHNOLOGY ARE "UNQUESTIONABLY SUPERIOR." BYRNE

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## Message Attributes

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